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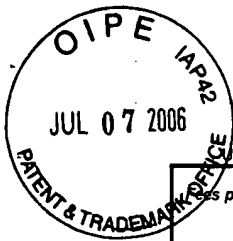
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	First Named Inventor	Dean FLETCHER	
	Art Unit	2876	
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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	0.00
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	0.00
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	0.00
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	0.00
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	0.00

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Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
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Multiple dependent claims	360	180

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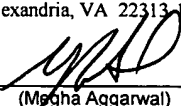
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Dean FLETCHER

Serial No.: 10/676,591

Filing Date: September 30, 2003

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
LIBRARY INVENTORY

Examiner: S. Lee

Group Art Unit: 2876

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 & 1.98**

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and § 1.98, Applicant submits for consideration in the above-identified application the documents listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08a/b. Copies of foreign documents and non-patent literature are submitted herewith. The Examiner is requested to make these documents of record.

The documents listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08a/b were cited in a European Search Report mailed on April 6, 2006, directed to a counterpart international or foreign application and have not been previously cited. A certification under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(1) follows:

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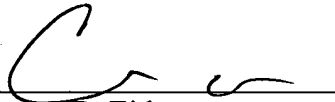
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	2.	JP-63-37486-A	02-18-1988	Oyo Keisoku Kenkyusho KK	Translation of Abstract Only	
	3.	JP-9-91930-A	04-04-1997	Hitachi Ltd.	Translation of Abstract Only	

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